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House Resolution 1681

By: Representative Warren of the 122<sup>nd</sup>

## A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing A. Frank Williams for his contributions to the City of Hephzibah, Georgia; and

2 for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Mr. Williams has volunteered running and repairing water lines in the City of

4 Hephzibah since 1968 and has contributed to increasing the city's water system from 3.6

5 miles of water line with eight hydrants to over 54 miles of water line with more than 200 fire

6 hydrants as well as having increased the number of wells in the city from one to five; and

7 WHEREAS, Mr. Williams was elected to the Hephzibah City Commission and continues to

8 serve and was influential in rolling city property taxes to \$0 and adding city street lights in

9 Hephzibah at no cost to the citizens; and

10 WHEREAS, Mr. Williams was instrumental in creating full-time police and fire departments

in the City of Hephzibah and also helped to build living quarters for emergency medical

12 teams so that emergency medical service could be offered to the citizens of Hephzibah; and

13 WHEREAS, Mr. Williams was at the head of the leadership in the City of Hephzibah that

14 witnessed the growth of Hephzibah from a city of one circular mile to its present size of more

15 than 19 square miles; and

16 WHEREAS, Mr. Williams was born and raised in the City of Hephzibah, raised his five

17 children in Hephzibah, and still lives in the city with his wife of 51 years, Mrs. Margret

18 Hendrix Williams.

19 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that

20 the members of this body recognize Mr. A. Frank Williams for all his contributions to the

21 City of Hephzibah.

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1 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized

2 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Mr. A. Frank Williams.